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BEAR HUGS ALL AROUND — National Child Day, November 20 was celebrated in Elk Point by Elk Point FCSS and Elk Point Child Care Services, who jointly sponsored a coloring contest for Elk Point Elementary School students. FCSS Director Deanna Easthope presented prizes to (front row, right to left) Andrea Lee, ECS; Terri White, Grade 1; Sara Kozicky, Grade 2; (back row, right to left) Courtinee Bintz, Grade 4; Kristy Lindquist, Grade 6 and Michelle Marcoux, Grade 5. No Grade 3 entries were received.

Road maintainence concerns Chamber

With the coming of winter weather, the maintainence of highways in the area has become a very real concern of local residents, including the Elk Point Chamber of Commerce. A letter sent to the Minister of Transportation by the Chamber voicing these concerns resulted in a visit by Andy Brown of Alberta Transportation to last Wednesday's Chamber meeting.

The letter was sent after local bus line operator John Henderson told the Chamber about an incident last winter when his busload of passengers had to wait several hours at the bottom of the river hill for a jackknifed semi to be moved and the highway to be sanded.

Brown told the Chamber that "overall, [highway maintenance] service is relatively good," and that transportation departments in neighboring

provinces are "envious of the service we provide."

Six maintenance trucks operate in the area served out of St. Paul, and have assigned beats. The foreman directs where trucks and manpower are assigned.

River valleys, such as that south of Elk Point on Highway 41, are "one of the first priorities. Inclines are a potential problem." Plowing is done first on the driving lanes, then the centre line and shoulders are plowed to define the edges of the highway. Intersections of secondary highways are the next priority, and finally approaches of other roads and driveways. The crews "wait until there's an inch of snow, and then they're out there. Once the storm is finished, we like to maintain a level of cleanliness," Brown said. Alberta Transportation pulls the trucks off the highway if the visibility is very poor, or if

there is continuous heavy snowfall during the night. "The operators can only work 16 hours before an 8 hour break. It's a job I'd never want to do."

The plowing and maintenance of secondary highways are the responsibility of counties and municipal districts.

Alberta Transportation works under a budget for a fiscal year. Last year's wet weather resulted in less construction than originally anticipated, so this funding may be added to the winter maintainence budget if needed. "They're not going to stop plowing because the money runs out," Brown assured the Chamber. "Hopefully, winter will ease off before we run out of product," he added, referring to the sand and white (effective to -60) and pink (effective to -110) salt which is mixed for use on the highways.

Grey will run in Edmonton North

Deborah Grey, MP has announced that she will seek the Reform Party nomination in the riding of Edmonton North. She has chosen to challenge sitting Liberal MP John Loney in the upcoming federal election expected in 1997.

The announcement ends weeks of speculation about where Grey will run, ever since her current riding of Beaver River disappeared under redistribution.

"After a great deal of soul-searching, I have decided to take on a new challenge," Grey said. It is very difficult to say 'Goodbye' and change is always hard. Beaver River has been very good to me and I will always cherish the memories I have built up."

Grey was elected in a by-election in 1989 and served as the Reform Party's first MP. Re-elected in 1993, she is Deputy Parliamentary Leader and Caucus Chairman of the Reform Party.

"I can think of no greater way to express my support for Reform's 'Fresh Start' platform, than to promote it in a new riding for Reform. I hope to win voter support and represent the views of Edmonton North in Ottawa with the same dedication that I represented the voters of Beaver River."

Frog Lake SPAA champs

The Frog Lake Knights Mallaig. The Stingers had little trouble securing a spot in the final after straight set wins over Elk Point 15-0 and 15-5 in semi-final play. Frog Lake had to go to three games to defeat Ashmont in the other semi-final match.

Frog Lake finished the round robin with a record of three wins and a loss to

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Head-on collision kills one, injures eight others

By Rhonda Noyce

St. Paul Journal

Elk Point RCMP responded to a head-on collision at approximately 5 p.m. last Thursday, Nov. 21. It took place on the Ross Lake Road about three-quarters of a mile west of the Frog Lake Reserve.

An officer at the scene, Cst. Dave Kilby, says 40-year-old Geraldine Stanley was dead on arrival and eight other people from the two vehicles were sent to Edmonton with serious injuries. Three people were listed in critical condition.

Kilby says Stanley was travelling west on Ross Lake Road when her vehicle was struck by an eastbound vehicle driven by Jimmy Mooswa, 33. There were four people in the car with Stanley and five people in the Mooswa vehicle, including two children, under 10 years old.

Kilby said the accident scene was "a bloody mess." They are still investigating the collision, but they do know for sure that alcohol was a factor and no one was wearing their seatbelts.

Children and Family Services Steering Committee update

On Friday, November 15, the Region 12 (Lakeland) Steering Committee of the Office of the Commissioner of Services for Children and Families met in Fort Saskatchewan for their monthly meeting.

John Lackey, Commissioner of Services for Children and Families; the Deputy Minister of Family Social Services, Don Fleming; and the Deputy Minister of Education, Dr. Leroy Sloan attended and relayed their messages regarding this planning process with specific references to the integration of services. The mayor of Fort Saskatchewan, Ken Hodgins and two Elk Island Public School Trustees, Ken Stubbs from Lamont and Margaret Jones from Fort Saskatchewan, were also in attendance as elected represen-

tatives from their communities.

John Lackey relayed the message that the Child and Family services initiative is the largest community development undertaking this province has ever seen, with 7,000 people involved province wide, working toward a goal of community driven, holistic services to children and families.

Dr. Sloan used the analogy of building a "house we are prepared to live in" to express the need to design supports that suit our communities' needs.

Don Fleming indicated that

communities need to tell his department what they want in the way of services and the level that they should be integrated with Health, Education and Justice through Local Working Groups and the Steering Committees, and his department would help ensure the plans become reality.

The Steering Committee meetings continued on Saturday and Sunday with presentations from Gloria VanderBurg on child care in the Lakeland region and Harry Oswin regarding the positive results happening with early

intervention projects around the region.

The Steering Committee discussed issues of importance to the process of community input and service planning for children and families. The committee next meets in the Cold Lake area on January 10, 11 and 12. St. Paul will host the

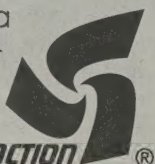
Steering Committee in April.

Elk Point's local working group meets today at 11:30 in the FCSS Office.

For more information regarding the Services for Children and families initiative, call the Government Rate number (310-0000) and ask for 656-2040.

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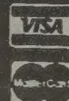
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From the FCSS desk...

Who is raising our children?

By Deanna Easthope

FCSS Director

This question has been on my mind for some time now. Our children are dear to us all and we try our best to raise them the best way we know how at the time. After early childhood, our children enter young adulthood. It seems like, sometime during this period, our children (for they are still our children), send us messages that they don't need our parental guidance. It's like they are trying to tell us that they know what is best and they are quite capable of raising themselves while still under our roof.

This message also seems to leave the home and enter the schools, the workplace and the community. Our children seem to have taken on some sort of self-imposed external power.

As parents and adults, we seem to be baffled as how to "handle" this situation with our children. When I have talked with some Moms, they have shared with me their sense of frustration. Daily survival as a Mom or parent becomes a challenge. One could interpret that "parental abuse" is taking place in the home. Or, it can be said that "emotional violence" is being acted out toward the parent.

Yes, when this happens and it has gone this far, the question is asked, "Who is raising our children?" Society would like to tell the parent that they are the one who is responsible and therefore the parent is the one raising the children. A key word now has come into the picture: "Responsibility." Somehow, if we could teach our children that they are responsible for their feelings and

their actions or behavior, then they wouldn't be able to use their external power of placing the "blame" of the consequences of their behavior on any adult or parent.

We are coming to the end of Family Violence Prevention Month and I hope throughout this month as you have read the different articles, that the message of prevention of family violence has come through as being important.

To sum up this article simply, I have written a little poem from the background that a mother's love and guidance is always available to the child who accepts it.

A Mother's Torch of Love

Oh child of mine,
You came into the world with help from the divine.
A bond of love was there all around,
You felt my love and knew where it could be found.
As you grew, you carried my torch of love in your mind,
For it was your security and identity.
Now that you are a young adult,
I fear because you are closing a door —
The torch of love may be in the dark.
Oh please remember, child of mine,
A Mother's Torch of Love is Eternal
And it all started with the divine.

— Deanna Easthope

Interagency updates

Elk Point Interagency Committee met on November 5 with Jodi Boucher, physical therapist at Elk Point Health Centre, as their special guest. She explained that the Health Centre now can bring in a number of community rehabilitation programs to Elk Point.

A Back Care Class is currently running at the Health Centre on the first Monday of the month from 1 to 2 p.m., a workshop on osteoporosis, entitled Building Better Bones, was scheduled for November 13 in Cold Lake, and a Walk Through Wellness evening, which includes sessions on fitness and exercises with a physical therapist, nutrition with a registered dietician, and stress management with an occupational therapist, is being planned for Elk Point in the new year.

Sessions on how to start a fitness program, stress management and what to look for (Continued on Page 8)



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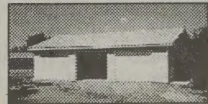
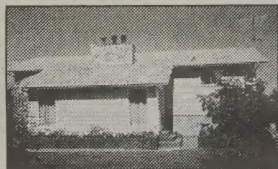
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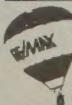
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OORP VISIT SUPREME HONORED ROYAL LADY -- This group of members from Elk Point's Order of Royal Purple travelled to Myrnam with District Deputy Sharon Algot for the October 23 visit of Supreme Honored Royal Lady Judy Lynch. The newly elected SHRH Lynch is from Camrose.

Proclamation

World AIDS Day

December 1, 1996

Whereas... the World Health Organization (WHO) predicts that more than 30 million people will be infected with the Human Immuno-deficiency Virus (HIV) by the end of this decade, and

Whereas... WHO has called upon governments, private organizations and individuals to recognize 1 December 1996 as World AIDS Day with the theme "One World, One Hope," and

Whereas... Health Canada estimates that 42,000 Canadians are infected with HIV and more than 13,500 others have contracted AIDS since the beginning of the epidemic, and

Whereas... AIDS is a potentially fatal health threat to Canada's young people, and

Whereas... in the absence of a cure or vaccine, education is our best defense against AIDS, and

Whereas... World AIDS Day offers an opportunity to enhance tolerance and understanding while communication prevention information about the epidemic,

Therefore be it resolved that I, Mayor Ed Buck, do hereby proclaim 1 December 1996 World AIDS Day in the Town of Elk Point.

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Sky Watch

By Lois Ramer
Astronomy Buff

AURORA BOREALIS adds color to the cold winter nights with their beautiful, shifting light show in the northern sky.

Photo by Lois Ramer



Astro-photography captures night sights -- and gift hints for astronomy buffs

Nearly December!! As I indicated in last month's article, the night sights are definitely sharper, in contrast to the summer and early fall skies, with the present season's invigorating tinge. Yes, indeed, we're a few degrees chillier, and though the present snows are beautiful and challenging, they have brought us many cloud covered night skies. The SPGCMMA studded nights will return and once again we'll be scurrying from window to window, from dusk 'til dawn; tripod, camera and me. Oh! the seven letters above stand for stars, planets, galaxies, comets, moons, meteors, and auroras. Could someone make a word out of these letters for me, please.

A bit on night photography... astro-photography! The accompanying photo of the aurora and our backdoor poplar was taken at midnight within the warmth of the house. (So a night photograph can be done through the window?! This hobby of 'shootin' the skies is very exciting. In one of my previous articles I wrote about the Andromeda Galaxy between Cassiopea (the big W) and the Great Square of Pegasus, and that it is 2,000,000,000 light years from us. Well, thanks to my photography instructors it is now in my Astronomy Album.

In the accompanying Aurora photo, I used a 35mm camera with 1000 ASA Kodak Gold film, regular 50 mm lens, mounted on the tripod using a cable release which I call "the clicker thing." The shutter speed you would use would depend entirely on the brightness of your object. On this Aurora photo, I kept the shutter open for 5 seconds. For a

bright full moon using 1000 ASA film, a one second shot would only be needed. Lower ASA film can also be used for astro-photography... 800, 400, 200. Generally speaking, the lower the ASA, the longer the shutter speed required.

An interesting and impressive picture for a budding night photographer to get would be the conjugation (seen close together) of Venus and the thin, last quarter moon 60 to 90 minutes before sunrise, low in the southeast on December 8, barring a cloud cover!!! If we're seeing a conjugation with sunlight on the horizon we could try a 'normal' camera shot with a 200 ASA speed film, no tripod or 'clicker thing.' And by the way, if you have a night shot you would be willing to share, we could try to get it into the paper.

A few hints now regarding the use of binoculars, telescopes and other gadgets I have learned about. When I began this astronomy hobby I learned to use the binoculars for things other than bird watching and seeing what the little Jenner kids were up to. Ha! It is so amazing to see the moon's surface, the moons of Jupiter, the mass (nebulae) of gas and dust at the bottom centre of the Belt of Orion, the present Hale-Bopp comet, etc. The 7x50 power binoculars are very satisfactory for sky watching and simpler than using a telescope; unless, of course, you are fortunate enough to be at the Edmonton Space Sciences Centre on a cloudless night.

Learning about and understanding what's out there in the universe is a most exhilarating hobby but don't rush out and purchase a telescope. It is

very important to initially study using the naked eye, a star map, and a notebook. Another handy and very worthwhile item is a planisphere which is a wheel-shaped gadget that shows which stars and constellations are visible at a certain time and date.

If you are 'bent' on purchasing a telescope, don't look at anything less than \$600, and then be extremely careful. If you are interested, I have helpful information regarding the use of binoculars vs telescopes. Binoculars are a surprisingly versatile tool for 'star gazing,' able to bring light to a large number of star objects.

Irene Magnusson, thank you for the neat little star book that you lent to me. It is nice to swap astronomy magazines and books. To learn that our galaxy spins at 490,000 mph, yet needs 200 million years to make one rotation is a bit mind-boggling. We would question... "how do 'they' know?"

Personally, the Creator of the universe, I believe, has also created man's mind to be able to figure this out. So may the 'Einstein,' 'Hubbles,' and all of Alberta's budding young scientists be honored.

I'll leave you with a celestial calendar:

Dec. 8 : Moon and Venus' conjugation before sunrise

Dec. 13: Geminid (Gemini is between Orion and the Big Dipper) meteor shower; often the best of the year with possibly one meteor per minute after 11 p.m.

Dec. 21: Winter officially begins at 9:07 a.m.

Dec. 24: Full moon, 3:41 p.m. EST

Eighteen pets graduate from Further Ed's Dog Obedience Class

A nine session Basic Dog Obedience Class ended November 14 with eighteen graduates. The top dog after the final exams, with 190 points was Nayla, a Siberian Malemute cross owned and handled by Mark Tichkowsky, who received a trophy sponsored by

Fins, Feathers and Furry Things.

Coming in close behind in second place with 185 points was Jake, a German Shepherd owned and handled by Debra Kilby, who took home a trophy sponsored by Quality Time Tours.

The Most Improved dog, with an excellent score of 179 points, was Nickie, a Chesapeake Bay Retriever owned and handled by Carol Brown, who also received a trophy from Quality Time Tours.

Instructor for the class was Frank Midgley of Midge's K-9 Obedience Consulting, Marwayne. Many thanks were extended to the trophy sponsors, and special thanks to Sandy Henderson for providing a warm space for the class-

es, as well as great help and cooperation.

Classes will be held again next year, starting in September 1997. If you are interested, call Verona Lea at

Elk Point Further Education, 724-4101.

Tracking classes may be held in the spring if enough interest is shown. Call Trish Holmes at 724-3317.



TOP DOGS -- Mark Tichkowsky's Siberian Husky was top point-getter at the end of the course, followed by Debra Kilby's German Shepherd. Carol Brown's Chesapeake Bay Retriever was named Most Improved.

The Critters are coming!

The CFCW Critters will be in Elk Point on December 5 for a charity hockey game against the Minor Hockey coaches, with all proceeds from the game going to Elk Point Minor Hockey.

CFCW's star player, the Critter, will be there and fans attending will

have a chance to win great prizes from Husky Oil and the Edmonton Oilers, and they will have a shot at winning \$10,000 with the Score game. Everyone is invited to come out and support Minor Hockey and enjoy seeing the Critters in action.



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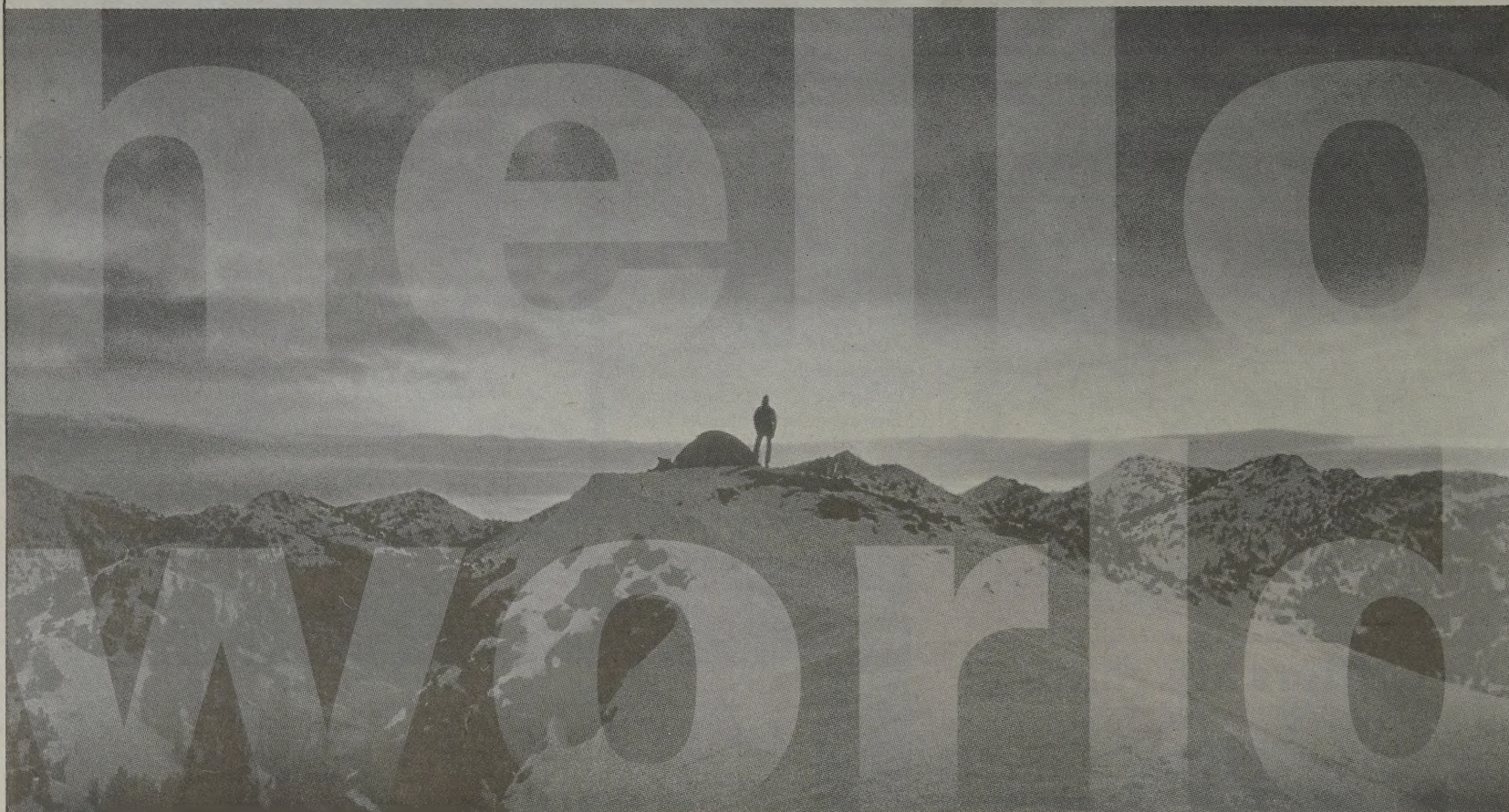
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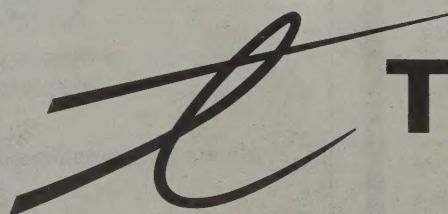
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Lakeland RHA announces new CEO

SMOKY LAKE — The Lakeland Regional Health Authority (LRHA) is pleased to announce that William (Bill) Bell has accepted the position of Chief Executive Officer, effective December 2, 1996.

Bell holds a Master of Health Services Administration from the University of Minnesota, School of Public Health and a Bachelor of Administration from the University of Regina. He is a Certified Health Executive with the Canadian College of Health

Service Executives and a Registered Psychiatric Nurse.

Bell is currently employed as the Chief Executive Officer of Providence Place, Regina, SK. He has extensive management and clinical care experience in the four sectors of health — acute care, long-term care, public health and mental health.

"We are very pleased that Mr. Bell has accepted our offer of employment," says Darel Cholak, LRHA Chairman. "He brings with him valuable health care management experience

and we look forward to his joining our organization."

Bell and his family will be relocating to the Lakeland

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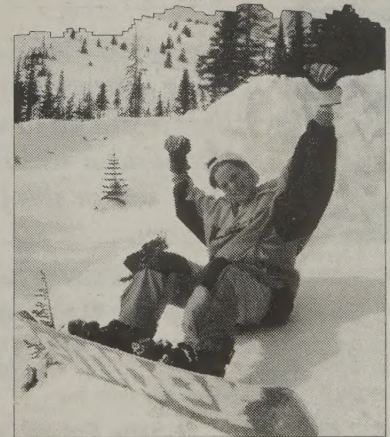
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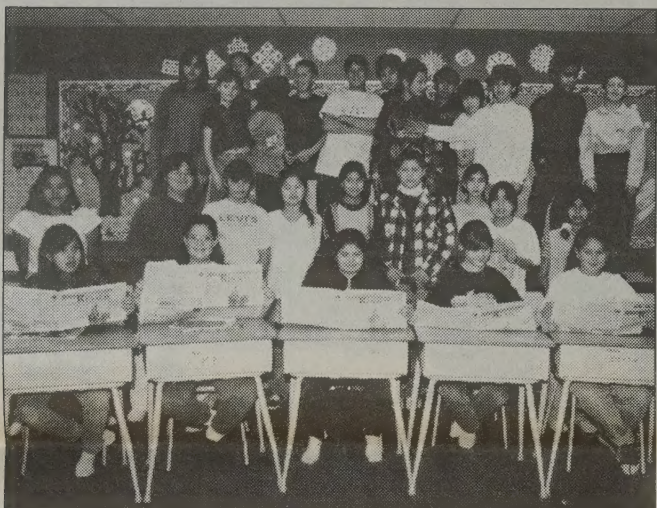


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Education Week at J. F. Dion School



J.F. DION GRADE 1 TO THREE STUDENTS (above) and Grade Four to Six students (below) were busy with Education Week activities when the Elk Point Review visited the school November 14. A number of visitors, a bake sale, parent interviews and a book fair were all part of the week's activities.



By Tawnee L.

Grade 6

The theme of Education Week was "Why Education is Important to Me." It took place during the week of Nov. 12 - 15, 1996. We had various people visit the school. On Nov. 12 we started a Book Fair. Jennifer Daniels and Mike Pawlec came down. A Metis historian, Mr. Howard, came. On Nov. 13 we had a career fair and a RCMP Drug Awareness. On Nov. 14, Mrs. Brooker arrived from the Elk Point newspaper and Margaret Fayant arrived to talk about the old schools here. We got our report cards and for parents we had parent interviews. The Grade 6 students did a fundraiser with a bake sale. On Nov. 15 we had council come. We had an administrator, Ross, Rick and Arlene.

(We have more stories. Watch for them next week.)

Community Calendar

Wondering what's happening in Elk Point and district in the coming weeks? Here is a brief rundown of some of the events scheduled.

Sunday, Dec. 1 -- Children's Winterfestival, 1:00 - 3:00 p.m. A. G. Ross Arena

Thursday, Dec. 5 - CFCW Country Critters vs Elk Point Minor Hockey Coaches, 7:30 p.m. at A. G. Ross Arena

Friday, Dec. 6 -- Elk Point Christmas Extravaganza -- skating, hay rides, tree auction, Santa, shopping until 11 p.m.

Wednesday, Dec. 11 and Friday, Dec. 13 -- Elk Point Community Choir Christmas Concert, 7:30 p.m., Elementary School Gym

Friday, Dec. 13 -- Elks Community Christmas Party

Sunday, Dec. 15 -- Third Annual Interdenominational Carol Service, 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, Dec. 18 -- Lioness Santas Anonymous deadline

Wednesday, Dec. 25 -- Christmas Day!

Thursday, Dec. 26 -- Boxing Day

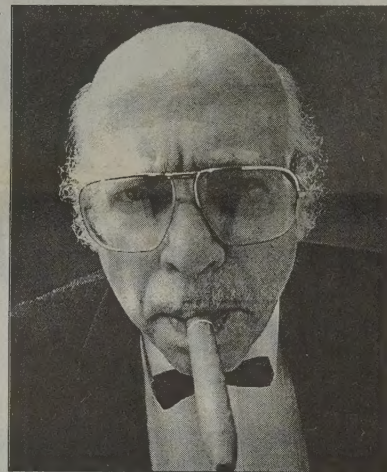
Tuesday, Dec. 31 -- First Night Festival

Get your festive season events in the calendar!

If you would like to add your event to the listing, which is published when space permits, please call the Review at 724-4087 before 5 p.m. Wednesday.

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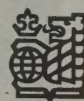
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What's news at the library?

Shovel yourself out and come on down for a good book

By Michele Ducek

Librarian

Weather reports from throughout North America show that Elk Point is not the only place blessed (or is it cursed?) by an overabundance of white flaky precipitation. Once you have shovelled yourself out from under what seems to be an entire season's worth of snow, make sure the Elk Point Public Library is a stop on your winter forays for groceries, mail, etc. We have plenty of books and videos that can help stave off the early onset of cabin fever.

Some recent arrivals of note, non of which have a waiting list (yet):

Bachelor Brothers Bed & Breakfast and **Bachelor Brothers Bed & Breakfast Pillow Book** by Bill

Richardson are whimsical books that tell the story of Hector and Virgil, twins by birth though not by nature, who operate a B&B on a beautiful island off the coast of British Columbia. I took these home one weekend and found both of them charming. One of them even includes recipes for what can only be described as comfort foods.

The sudden death of millions of people signals a new plot against the New Republic and a new enemy for Luke, Leia and Leia's Jedi children in **The New Rebellion** by Kristine Kathryn Rusch, a Star Wars book.

When the Lord of Tarsis finds himself with a politically volatile murder on his hands, he turns to the three most expendable inhabitants of the

city for a solution in **Murder in Tarsis** by John Maddox Roberts, a fantasy mystery.

When Elena Olivarez's boss is killed by a particularly ugly Mexican statue, she is the police's only suspect in **The Tree of Death** by Marcia Muller.

For the younger set, here are a few titles in our juvenile series:

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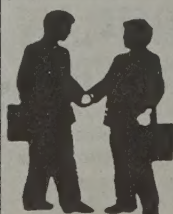
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November 18, 1996

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Thunder over St. Paul... and a first win for girls' Storm

By Doug Bassett

Elk Point Minor Hockey

Due to an injury to their goalie at Thursday's practice, and without a backup, Turtleford was forced to cancel the league game that was scheduled for Friday night. The St. Paul "AA" Canadiens were called on very short notice and accepted an invitation for an exhibition game against the Thunder. Not a great night for goaltenders, the Canadiens were on the score-board first. Shortly after, bantam-aged player Jordan Bassett scored on a wraparound to even it up, then the newest Thunder player, Onion Lake product, defenceman Blair Quinney scored on a power play. Quinney, who scored two goals in this contest, had started the season with Prince Albert and only signed with the Thunder this past week.

The Thunder took a 3-1 lead when another bantam-aged player, Rocky Pankiw, scored when he was set up by defenceman Shawn Moroziuk. Shawn, who had a 4-point night, returned to the Thunder to be with his former Provincial teammates after a year with the St. Paul bantams when Elk Point was unable to ice a bantam team last year. Assistant captain Moroziuk is one of the Thunder's unsung heroes who may not always be

on the score sheet, but wins battles in the trenches every week.

The Canadiens and Thunder were tied up 6-6 late in the third after Thunder goals by Loren Kozicky and Ferlin Quinney. It was team captain Marty Bendixen who would score the winner on this cold Friday night and send home the crowd home happy. Another clean, entertaining game for the Thunder.

Due to the Grey Cub, Sunday afternoon's game against Mannville was cancelled.

Storm over Hanna

In other hockey news this week, Brian Tucker's midget girls team, the Storm, had their first victory with a win over the Hanna Sun Devils. With great goaltending at both ends of the rink and the score tied at two, team captain Kandice Bjornstad scored the winner. Kandice, whose family are great hockey supporters, scored four goals this game. A great effort by all the girls and congratulations to the coaching staff.

Next weekend the Thunder host Grand Centre Friday night at 8 p.m. and on Sunday at 5 p.m. Lashburn, SK is in town to meet the Thunder. Come early on Sunday and stock up on Christmas baking. All hockey parents are reminded to bring

contributions for the Christmas Craft and Bake Sale.

Coming up the following week there's lots of fun and action at the Thunderdome.

Thursday night, Dec. 5, the Elk Point minor hockey coaches play the CFCW Critters. Then starting on Friday night, December 6, the Thunder are

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★ Gingerbread house making 5-6:30 and 8-9:30 p.m., Lakeland Mall.

★ Night Light Parade, Main street 7 p.m.

★ Hot chocolate around the bonfires after the parade and late night shopping!

Saturday, Nov. 30

★ Lions Pancake Breakfast 8:30 - 10 a.m. at the Elks Hall.

★ Story hour, Public Library 11 a.m.

★ Gingerbread house making 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. at Lakeland Mall.

★ Kids' Party 1 p.m., Elks Hall.

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An after-Christmas event that will be of special interest to the dedicated skaters and hockey players will be the Annual Skatathon to be held on Thursday, January 9, 1997. This event has seen some rivalries develop over the years and we're sure this year will be no different. The Oilfield Challenge Cup is up for grabs and it will be interesting to see who will get the Oldest Skater award this year. So, start training and we'll see who can skate the most laps for that coveted prize. For more information on this event, contact Deanna Easthope.

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